VICTORIA—ANDRES ORANGE, Maſter.

In the Appeal proſecuted by Thomas Pillans, Commander of the Ship Shillelah, the Captor.

APPENDIX to the CASE,

ON BEHALF OF

His Majeſty's Procurator General, in his Office of Admiralty.

Extract from Allegation given into the Admiralty Court in Ireland, on Behalf of the ſaid Thomas Pillans the Captor, dated 30th July, 1779.

5th. THAT the ſaid Ship the Victoria was ſtopped and ſeized on the High-ſeas by the ſaid Ship or Letter of Marque the Shillelah, on the 11th Day of June laſt, upon a well-grounded Suſpicion, that the ſaid Pollacre the Victoria, and her Cargo, were French Property; and after long Examination of ſaid Pollacre and her Cargo, the colourable Ships Papers offered by the ſaid Andres Orange, deſtroying, and cauſing to be deſtroyed, the real Ship's Papers, ſhewing deciſively the ſaid Pollacre and her Cargo to be French Property, as herein-after is mentioned; the Captain and Crew of ſaid Ship the Shillelah brought the ſaid Pollacre the Victoria and her Cargo into the Port of Dublin.

Thomas Pillans, Commander of the good Ship called the Shillelah Privateer, againſt the good Ship called the Victoria, and her Cargo, Prize to the ſaid Privateer, as the Goods of the French King, or his Vaſſals or Subjects.

A further additional Allegation on Behalf of the ſaid Thomas Pillans, the Promovent in this Cauſe, alledging ſaith,

Firſt; This Party adhering to all and ſingular the Matters and Things heretofore alledged on this Behalf, in this Cauſe doth further alledge, and ſay, That on or about the third Day July laſt paſt a Commiſſion was granted by the Lords of the Admiralty of Great Britain unto this Party, empowering this Party as Commander of the ſaid hip the Shillelah, to ſeize and take the Ship and Goods of the King of Spain, his Vaſſals or Subjects, and to have and enjoy the ſame as lawful Prize.

And 2dly; That in Caſe the ſaid Ship the Victoria and her Cargo, or all or any Part thereof, ſhall in the Event of this Cauſe appear to this Honourable Court, or ſhall be deemed to be Spaniſh Property, nevertheleſs the ſaid Ship the Victoria and her Cargo aforeſaid ought to be

be adjudged and condemned as lawful Prize to the aforeſaid Thomas Pillans, this Party under and by Virtue of the ſaid Commiſſion ſo as aforeſaid granted to him, this Party now on Record int his Court, as the Ship and Goods of the Spaniſh King, his Vaſſals or Subjects.

James Sheil,
Advocate.

That the Premiſes are true: Wherefore this Party prays Right and Juſtice, and as heretofore prayed for which Coſts.

WILLIAM ROBNETT,
Proctor for the Admiralty.

THOMAS TISDALE, Regr.

BRITISH MUSEUM

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